

COMPUTER IMPLEMENTED METHOD OF SELECTIVELY RECORDING  
AND PLAYING BROADCAST PROGRAM CONTENT

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A computer-implemented method of selectively recording and playing the content of a broadcast program includes playing on a media player one of a plurality of prestored files which include program content. A broadcast program is received and it is determined whether a predetermined criteria associated with the broadcast program is met. If the predetermined criteria is met, at least a portion of content of the broadcast program is automatically recorded. The recorded content of the broadcast program on the media player is then automatically played, either immediately after being recorded or at the end of playing the one prestored file.